रेल मंत्री (श्री जार्ज फर्नांडीज): (क) किसी स्टेशन पर कलोज सर्किट टेलीविजन प्रणाली की व्यवस्था उस स्टेशन के महत्व तथा वहां पर सम्हाले जाने वाले यात्री यातायात की मात्रा के आधार पर की जाती है बशर्ते कोई निजी उद्यमी वाणिज्यिक आधार पर इस कार्य को करने के लिए सामने आ जाए।

(ख) भोपाल, होशंगाबाद, जबलपुर, गुना, इन्दौर तथा उज्जैन।

(ग) मध्य प्रदेश में स्थित इटारसी तथा खण्डवा स्टेशनों पर।

मध्य प्रदेश में जवाहर रोजगार योजना के अधीन जीर्णोद्धार कार्य

568. श्री शिवा प्रसाद चन्दपुरिया: क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि मध्य प्रदेश की ऐसी ग्राम पंचायतों की संख्या कितनी है जिन्होंने, जैसा कि जवाहर रोजगार योजना के मैन्युअल के अध्याय (4) के पैरा 19-4 में उल्लिखित किया गया है, सिंचाई तालाबों तथा सिंचाई-नालियों का जीर्णोद्धार कार्य और भूमि को समतल बनाने का कार्य 31 मार्च, 1990 तक पूरा कर लिया है?

कृषि मंत्रालय में ग्रामीण विकास विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री उपेन्द्र नाथ वर्मा): भारत सरकार जवाहर रोजगार योजना के अंतर्गत केन्द्रीय स्तर पर राज्यों/संघ शासित क्षेत्रों में विभिन्न ग्राम पंचायतों द्वारा किए गए कार्यों (श्रेणीवार) की निगरानी नहीं करती है।

Procurement of Rice in A.P.

569. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state whether Government of Andhra Pradesh have requested to step up the procurement of rice by Food Corporation of India in the State and enhance the allotment from the Central pool thereof; if so, what are details thereof and what steps are being taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI RAM PUJAN PATEL): The Government of Andhra Pradesh had suggested that Government of India consider giving the 25 lakh tonnes rice required by the State for the public distribution system on the condition that the State procured for the F.C.I, a total of 30 lakh tonnes of rice. Government of India, after consideration, informed that the State should put in maximum efforts to procure 30 lakh tonnes of rice during the current kharif marketing season and the Central Government would, in turn, allocate 2/3rds of the rice so procured to the State during the current year.

Previously Unstarred Question 23 transferred from 7th August, 1990.

Birth Centenary of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar

570- MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will, the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the programme chalked out to celebrate the birth centenary year of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar;

(b) what are the details of the National Committee formed for the purpose and the criteria adopted for making nominations thereto;

(c) what are the names of person belonging to the weaker sections and their background, being associated with the organisation of the celebrations;

(d) whether any organising Secretariat has been formed for the purpose; if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the grant made to the different organisations in the country for organising the celebrations?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR AND WELFARE (SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN): (a) Following have already been implemented as part of the Centenary Celebrations of Baba Saheb Dr. B.R. Ambedkar.

(i) Government launched the Centenary Celebrations of Baba Saheb Dr. B.R. Ambedkar by conferring 'Bharat Ratna' on Baba Saheb on 14.4.1990.

(ii) The year 1990-91 has been declared as the year of 'Social Justice'.

(in) The Portrait of Baba Saheb Dr. B.R. Ambedkar was unveiled in the Central Hall of Parliament on 12.4.90.

(iv) Baba Saheb's 99th Birth Day on 14.4.90 was declared a National Holiday.

(v) 14.4.90 was celebrated with a Virat Sammelan at Ambedkar Stadium, New Delhi.

(vi) National Commission of SC and ST has been given Constitutional status and wide powers.

(vii) New-Buddhists accorded the status of Scheduled Castes.

(viii) Government has decided to implement the Mandal Commission Report extending 27% reservation for the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes in services under Govt, of India, and Central Public Undertakings,

2. Besides above for Centenary Celebrations of Baba Saheb Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, a National Committee with the Prime Minister as Chairman and the Union Minister for Labour and Welfare as Deputy Chairman has been constituted. The First Meeting of the National Committee was held on 21st June, 1990.

3. A Standing Committee under the Chairmanship of the Union Minister for Labour and Welfare has also been constituted for evolving various programmes for the Centenary Celebrations of Baba Saheb Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar. The First Meeting of the Standing Committee has been fixed on 14.8.90.

4. The Following 7 Sub-Committees on different subjects have been constituted to identify and recommend various programmes related to their subject areas for the Centenary Celebrations of Baba Saheb:—

(i) Economic Development Committee

(ii) Education Committee

(iii) Land Reforms Committee

(iv) Reservation Implementation Committee

(v) Planning and Programme Committee

(vi) Prevention of Atrocities and Legislation Committee

(vii) Publicity and Media Committee.

5. Labour & Welfare Minister has also written to all the Central Ministers and Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission, Chief Ministers, Governors of States under President Rules and Lt. Governors of the Union Territories requesting them to formulate and implement schemes and programmes appropriate to the noble and liberating thoughts of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar.

(b) A copy of the Resolution indicating the composition of the National Committee for the Centenary Celebrations of Baba Saheb Dr. B.R. Ambedkar is enclosed at Annexure. *[See* Appendix CLV, Annexure No. 18]

2. The Members of the National Committee have been drawn from eminent persons in various fields.

(c) Community/Caste wise details of the Members of the National Committee. Standing Committee and Sub-Committees for the Centenary Celebrations of Baba Saheb Dr. B.R. Ambedkar do not seem to be necessary. Hence, these details have not been collected and compiled.

(d) A Centenary Cell has been sanctioned with one Joint Secretary, Two Deputy Secretaries and other subordinate staff. A copy of the

sanction order is enclosed at Annexure. *[See* Appendix CLV, Annexure No. 19]

(e) So far, no grant has been made to any organisation for organising Centenary Celebrations.

571. *[Transferred to 21st August,* 1990]

Unemployed registered with Employment Exchanges

572. SHRI M. VINCENT: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of unemployed persons registered with the Employment Exchanges in the country, State-wise as on date; and

(b) the number of graduates unemployed out of the above, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR AND WELFARE (SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN): (a) and (b) The latest available information on *total job-seekers,* on the Live Register of Employment Exchanges, not all of whom are necessarily unemployed, relates to end of May, 1990, while that on *educated job-seekers* relates to end of December, 1988. A Statement showing the latest available information on total and graduate job-seekers, State-wise, is enclosed.

Statement

Latest Available Information on Total Graduate Job-Seekers, State-Wise

(In Thousands)

States/Union Territories	Number o Live Register		
	Total as at end of May, 1990	As at end of December, 1988	
		Total	Graduates (including Post-Graduates®)
1	(2)	(3)	(4)
STATES			
1. Andhra Pradesh	2831.6	2676.1	222.0
2. Arunachal Pradesh	5.1	4.6	0.1
3. Assam	994.5	903.8	57.4
4. Bihar	3162.5	2657.6	271.1
5. Goa	85.1	74.3	5.0
6. Gujarat	941.6	863.3	58.2
7. Haryana	574.6	577.1	54.0
8. Himachal Pradesh	448.8	367.8	29.8
9. Jammu & Kashmir	109.1	129.8	14.4
10. Karnataka	1255.1	1058.2	105.1
11. Kerala	3132.3	2901.1	122.5
12. Madhya Pradesh	2033.1	1788.2	193.8
13. Maharashtra	2998.3	2663.7	196.9
14. Manipur	202.4	245.5	23.0
15. Meghalaya	23.6	20.7	1.4